

Stand up and be counted!



Count us in!

The biggest count of the decade is coming - the 2010 U.S. Census. The U.S. Census counts every resident – both citizens and non-citizens – in the United States and is required by the Constitution to take place every 10 years.

Your census form will be arriving in your mailbox March 15 - 17. When you receive yours, just take 10 minutes to answer 10 short questions on key demographic information and then mail the form back in the postage-paid envelope provided. Please note that your answers

will be kept confidential and cannot be used against you by any government agency or court.

The data collected by the census helps communities receive their share of more than \$400 billion in federal funds every year for things such as hospitals, job training centers, schools, senior centers, public works projects and emergency services. Additionally, it determines the number of seats each state is given in the U.S. House of Representatives. It's important for the future of Riverside that every resident fully participates.

The City of Riverside thanks you in advance for your cooperation and participation in 2010 U.S. Census. We can't move forward until you mail it back.

For more information, visit www.census.gov